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Jerry Holliday Holliday Construction 700 East Brown Canyon Road P.O. Box 502 Blanding, Utah 84511

Re: Permit Review Status, Lime Ridge Mine, M/037/081, San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Holliday:

On November 5, 1999, the Division received your plan for the Lime Ridge Mine. Due to a backlog of other permit reviews, the Division has not been able to complete a review of this plan within the usual 30-day timeframe. We apologize for the delay and any inconvenience this may cause you.

We hope to complete our review of your application within the next 45-60 days. We appreciate your patience and understanding in this regard. Please contact me if you have questions or concerns with this proposed review schedule.

Sincerely,

Joelle Burns

Minerals Secretary

Jack Burns

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